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For: Fe-Cr ALLOY STRUCTURE WITH EXCELLENT CORROSION RESISTANCE AND EXCELLENT ADHESION, AND MANUFACTURING METHOD THEREOF

Also enclosed are:

- Application Data Sheet  
 5 Sheets of drawings  
 Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO-1449 and copies of publications  
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